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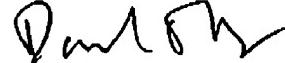
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In re application of:

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Applicant: Paolo Lombardi

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Filed: June 13, 2005

) Examiner: WEBSTER, DAVID DONALD

For: Use of poly-amminopyrrolecarboxamides alones or in combination with a cyclodextrin
in the prophylaxis and treatment of animal parasitosis

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office action dated February 12, 2009 for one month from March 12, 2009 to April 12, 2009. Please charge the deposit account number 13-3860 of applicant's agent of record, in the amount of US\$ 65.00 (fee code 2251) to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account.

RESPONSE

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 12, 2009.

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